

2012 USA PRO CHALLENGE—BOULDER STAGE 6 Code of Conduct for Spectators on Flagstaff Mountain

On August 25, 2012, Boulder will host the second to final stage of the USA Pro Challenge cycling stage race. The stage will begin in Golden and end with a dramatic climb up Boulder's Flagstaff Mountain. The decision to allow the finish up "Flag" was not taken lightly. Flagstaff Road traverses very important and ecologically sensitive lands, including Chautauqua Park and the City of Boulder's Open Space and Mountain Parks. On race day, spectators entering Flagstaff Mountain shall adhere to the following code of conduct in order to avoid and minimize impacts to these special lands and the wildlife that depend on them:

Wrist Bands for Access—Gotta have one!

All spectators on Flagstaff Mountain are required to wear an authorized Boulder Stage wrist band, agreeing to adhere to this code of conduct while in the Flagstaff Mountain Area.

Respect all Closures—Stay on Flagstaff Road

Unless otherwise designated, all City of Boulder Open Space and Mountain Parks (OSMP) land in the Flagstaff Mountain Area, including OSMP trails, will be closed August 24-25. All race spectators must remain on Flagstaff Road (and shoulder areas immediately adjacent to the road). **Dogs prohibited**.

Access by Biking and Walking Only

To view the race in the Flagstaff Mountain Area, spectators must either bike or walk up Flagstaff Road on race day. No bicycles will be allowed on Summit Road—the last ¾ mile from Realization Point to the Amphitheater. Cyclists shall exercise extreme caution, particularly in light of pedestrian traffic, and shall wait until the "Broom Wagon" passes before descending Flagstaff Road at the conclusion of the race.

> Bike Corrals—Park in Designated Areas Only (and Bring Your Lock!)

All bikes used to travel up Flagstaff Road must be parked/stored—<u>at the owner's risk</u>—in one of the designated 'bike corrals' maintained along the road. Spectators should bring their own bike locks.

Absolute Fire Ban—Don't Even Think About It!

Fires and fireworks are absolutely prohibited in the Flagstaff Mountain Area. Also, no smoking.

> Trash Disposal & Recycling—Do Not Litter!

Either pack it in—pack it out; or use designated trash/recycling receptacles. No glass. DO NOT LITTER!

Water—Bring it!

There will be limited access to drinking water in the Flagstaff Mountain Area. Spectators are strongly encouraged to bring water in reusable/refillable containers.

Be Smart—Be Prepared

Spectators should anticipate a range of weather & bring appropriate gear, e.g., rain gear, sun screen, etc.

For More Information, go to: http://www.usaproboulder.com